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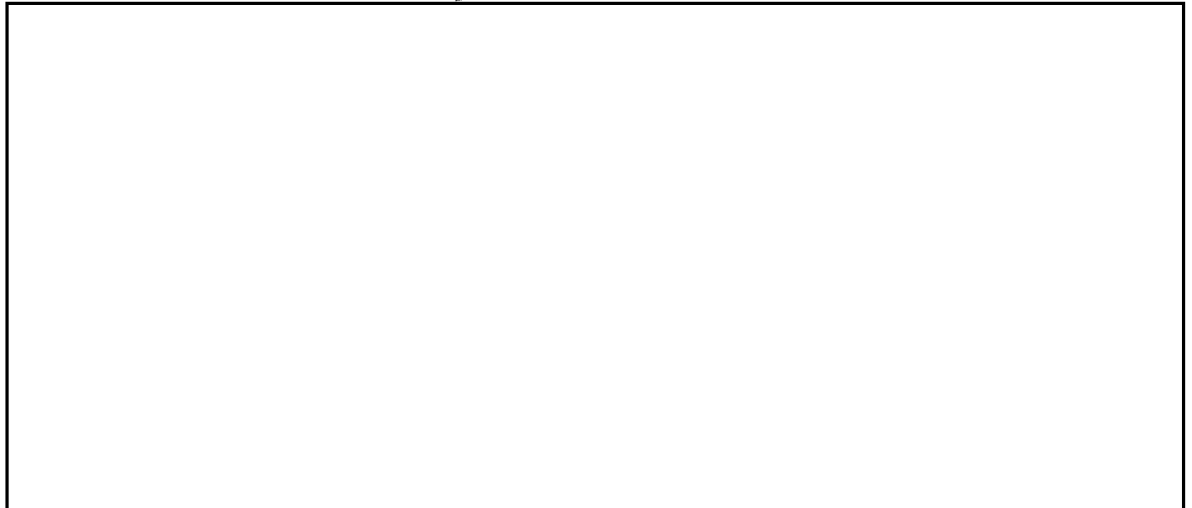
24 MAY 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Assistant Deputy Director for Plans

**SUBJECT: DDP "Nuggets" Used in House Appropriations
Committee Hearing on Agency Budget -
17 May 1968**

1. The only mention of "nuggets" of concern to the DDP in the above briefing were the following:

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Hearings of Special Senate Subcommittee on Military Deserters

1. On this date Mr. Charles Kirbow, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, talked with me about the testimony given yesterday by State and DOD witnesses before the Senate Armed Services Special Subcommittee on military deserters. The Subcommittee is composed of Senators Inouye, Chairman, McHatyre and Tower.

2. According to Kirbow, the principal witnesses at yesterday's hearings were Frederick Smith, Jr., Assistant Legal Advisor for Security and Consular Affairs, Department of State, and Major General Berg, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Military Personnel Policy, Department of Defense. Of particular concern to this Agency was the testimony of General Berg. General Berg put particular emphasis on the case of a man (name unidentified) who had been in an extremely sensitive position in the Army Security Agency. This individual had [redacted] had returned to the United States briefly, went to [redacted] According to Berg, military authorities have considered various schemes to effect this individual's return to United States custody but they have been thwarted in carrying out these schemes by the State Department, which prefers to deal with the cases through diplomatic channels.

3. During this testimony, DOD witnesses were asked about the cooperation which they are receiving from various agencies, such as the FBI, CIA and the Department of State. DOD witnesses indicated that the cooperation of the FBI and CIA was "outstanding." At the close of yesterday's hearings Senator Inouye and others on the Subcommittee indicated their interest in obtaining testimony from these

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other departments, including CIA, upon the resumption of hearings in about ten days. Mr. Kirbow has not had an opportunity to discuss this matter with Mr. Darden, the Committee staff member responsible for CIA matters, but wished to alert us to the situation so that we might be prepared to respond if contacted.

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